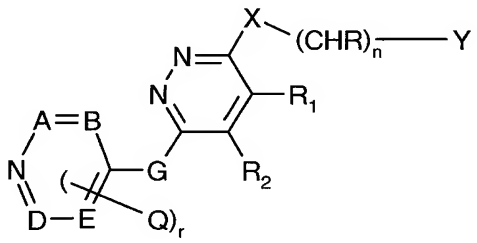
Amendments to the Claims:

Listing of Claims:

Claim 1 (original): A method of treating a warm-blooded animal having acute myeloid leukemia (AML), comprising administering to said animal a therapeutically effective amount of a compound of formula I



(I)

wherein

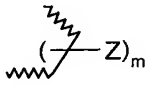
r is 0 to 2,

n is 0 to 2,

m is 0 to 4,

R_1 and R_2 (i) are lower alkyl or

(ii) together form a bridge in subformula I*



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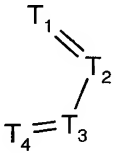
the binding being achieved via the two terminal carbon atoms, or

(iii) together form a bridge in subformula I**



(I**)

wherein one or two of the ring members T_1, T_2, T_3 and T_4 are nitrogen, and the others are in each case CH, and the binding is achieved via T_1 and T_4;

A, B, D, and E are, independently of one another, N or CH, with the stipulation that not more than 2 of these radicals are N;

G is lower alkylene, lower alkylene substituted by acyloxy or hydroxy, $-CH_2-O-$, $-CH_2-S-$,

$-CH_2-NH-$, oxa (-O-), thia (-S-), or imino (-NH-);

Q is lower alkyl;

R is H or lower alkyl;

X is imino, oxa, or thia;

Y is unsubstituted or substituted aryl, pyridyl, or unsubstituted or substituted cycloalkyl; and

Z is amino, mono- or disubstituted amino, halogen, alkyl, substituted alkyl, hydroxy, etherified or esterified hydroxy, nitro, cyano, carboxy, esterified carboxy, alkanoyl, carbamoyl, N-mono- or N,N-disubstituted carbamoyl, amidino, guanidino, mercapto, sulfo, phenylthio, phenyl-lower alkylthio, alkylphenylthio, phenylsulfonyl, phenyl-lower alkylsulfinyl or alkylphenylsulfinyl, substituents Z being the same or different from one another if more than 1 radical Z is present;

and wherein the bonds characterized, if present, by a wavy line are either single or double bonds;

or an N-oxide of the defined compound, wherein 1 or more N atoms carry an oxygen atom,

or the salt of such compound having at least one salt-forming group;

together or in combination with a conventional compound or compound mixture useful in AML treatment and optionally at least one pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

Claim 2 (original): A method of claim 1 wherein the compound of formula I is PTK787.

Claim 3 (original): A method of claim 1 wherein the conventional compound useful in AML treatment is a topoisomerase II inhibitor, an antimetabolite, an antitumor antibiotic or a mixture of such compounds.

Claim 4 (original): A method of claim 1 wherein the conventional compounds useful in AML treatment is selected from the group consisting of amsacrine, etoposide, teniposide, cytarabine, methotexate, mercaptopurine, mitoxantrone, dactinomycin, daunorubicin, doxorubicin, epirubicin, homoharringtonine, idarubicin, asparaginase, cyclophosphamide, gemtuzumab, other CD 33 monoclonal antibodies, ifosfamide, mesna, prednisone, topotecan, vincristine, and mixtures thereof.

Claim 5 (previously presented): A method according to claim 1 wherein the AML is resistant to conventional chemotherapy.

Claim 6 (previously presented): A method according to claim 1 wherein the warm-blooded animal is a human.

Claim 7 (original): A method according to claim 6 wherein the human is a juvenile human.

Claims 8 – 15 (cancelled).